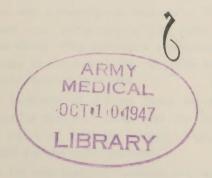
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HORRIS AND CONTRACTOR CERTAINS OF STREET

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Occupied Germany:

In the following Appendices "A", "B" and "C" are summaries of communicable disease cases and deaths by Regierungsbezirk and Land, and case rates by Regierungsbezirk and Land for the week ended 3 May 1947.

Communicable Diseases:

One new case of typhus fever was reported from Regierungsbezirk Niederbayern and Oberpfalz in Bavaria.

Tuberculosis of the lung and larynx declined to 1,223 from the Occupation high of 1,310 of the previous week — a decrease of 87. However, the U.S. Sector of Berlin recorded 165 new cases, more than in any other week since the American Forces entered this city.

This week the non-respiratory types of tuberculosis reached the highest point since the beginning of the occupation.

There was a considerable decrease in the incidence of gonorrhea — 1,468 new cases being reported this week as compared with 1,859 the previous week. This represents a decrease of 391, sharpest one-week drop since 28 December 1946. Syphilis declined to 886 from the 901 new cases reported last week.

The incidence of scabies, rising for the third successive week, increased by 491 new cases over the preceding week, making this week's figure of 4,227 the highest since 1 February 1947. Bavaria accounted for the entire increase.

The 190 new cases of influenza are more than double the 93 registered the previous week. Here, too, all of the increase occurred in Bavaria.

Decreases were recorded in diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid and paratyphoid fever, and measles.

APPENDIX "A"

Communicable Disease Report United States Zone of Germany for Week ending 3 May 1947

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ases	Rabies	11	11	111	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
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SEA	Undulant Fever	-1	111	11	11	-1	11	11	11	11	111	11	111	11
0	Bact. Food Poisoning	12	11	11	11	11		11	11	11	1-	11	11	11
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	Scarlet Fever	136	12	7	11	101	20	11	20	00	2	19	9 1	10
	Diphtheria	462	21 2	41	30	39	20	42	38	36	44	63	25	333
ber	Plague	11	11	11	11	111	11	11	11	11	11	11	111	11
Number	Cholera	-11	11	11	11	11	11	111	11	11	11	11	11	11
Reported Nu	Relapsing Fever		11	11	11	111	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
	Anthrax	11	11	111	11	11	11	11	11	11	111	11	11	11
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	Popu- lation a)	18,405,000	1,029,000	2,353,000	2,043,000	1,240,000	2,459,000	1,254,000	1,578,000	1,289,000	1,397,000	2,281,000	492,000	990,000
	Regierungs- bezirk	TOTAL US Zone	Unterfranken	Ober- and Mittelfranken	Niederbayern 2	Schwaben 1	Oberbayern 2	Kassel	Wiesbaden 1	Darmstadt 1	Baden 1	Wuerffemberg 2	Bremen	Berlin (US Sector)
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APPENDIX "B" Communicable Disease Report (by Land) United States Zone of Germany

for Week ending 3 May 1947

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APPENDIX "C"

Communicable Disease Rates United States Zone of Germany

	Regierungs- Po Bezirk lat	Total US Zone	Unferfranken 1,02	Ober- and 2,35 Mittelfranken	Niederbayern 2,04	Schwaben 1,24	Oberbayern 2,45	Kassel 1,25	Wiesbaden 1,57	Darmstadt 1,28	Baden 1,38	Wuerffemberg 2,28	Bremen 45	Berlin 99 (US Sector) 99
	Popu- lation a)	18,405,000	1,029,000	2,353,000	2,043,000	1,240,000	2,459,000	1,254,000	1,578,000	1,289,000	1,397,000	2,281,000	492,000	000,066
for Wee	Typhus Fever Louse Borne	0.0	1	1	0.3	1	1	1	1	1		-	1	1
	Smallpox	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	1
	Anthrax			1	1	1	1		1	1	T	-	1	
	Relapsing Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	
	Cholera			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	T
	Plague	1	1			1		1			1	1	1	
	Diphtheria	3.1 3	10.6 6.	9.1	7.6 2.	16.4 4.	10,6	17.4 4	12.5 6	14.5 3.	16.4	14.4	26.4 6	17.3 2
	Scarlet Fever Tuberculosis Lung	8.8	-	1.5 3	00	7	4.2 3	4.6	6.6 3	67	2.6	4.3	6.3	2.6
eek e	& Larynx	34.5	8.62	37.3	33.3	25.6	37.6	20.3	36.9 1	33.5	26.8 11	20.3	58.1 27	86.7
pue	Tuberculosis other	7.6	811	3.8	3.1	2.5	8.7	7.5	17.1	3.6	10	5.5 1	7.5	9.5
ending	Cough	9.4	19.2	9.3	5.9	5.0	8.5	9.9	4.0	27.4	7.4	3.5	3.2	+
3	Meningitis Meningococcus	0.4	1	1.5	0.3	1.3	1	-	0.7	8.0	1	1	1	1
May	Poliomyelitis	0.0	1	1		1	1	1	1	0.4	1	1	1	1
y 1	Gonorrhea	41.5	19.7	46.2	27.0	36.9	63.4	14.5	74.8	17.3	40.6	23.5	28.9	45.7
1947	Silidqy2	25.0	26.8	25.2	16.3	10.1	30.9	12.4	62.3	10.9	17.1	16.0	74.0	27.8
12	Typhoid Fever	1.2	5.1	0.9	1.5	8.0	0.4	1.7	1.3	8.0	1.1	0.7	1.1	1.1
- 12	Paratyphoid	0.4		0.5	1	1	0.4	1	1.0	1.2	0.4	6.0	1	0.5
8	Dysentery infectious	0.4 (0.7	0.3	1	1	0.4	1	1	1	0.5	2.1	3.2
- 1	Bact, Food Poisoning	0.0			1	1	0.5			1			1	
	Undulant Fever Infectious	0.0	က်	0	0	0.4	0			1	1	1	1	
	Soibring	0.6	10	0.4 20	0.3	1	0.4	1		9.1	-	0.5	4.2	
	Scabies	119.4 0.0	249.1	208.5	254.8	113.2	24.8	80.4 0.4	9.6	50.4	34.7	23.9	22.6	+
	Encephalitis Epidemic	0.			1	1		4.		1	1	1	1	
	Malaria	- 0.1		- 0.2		- 0.4		- 0.4	- 0.3	1			- 1.1	
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